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- (a) (1) The Board consists of the following 12 members:
 - (i) as an ex officio member, the Commissioner; and
- (ii) 11 voting members appointed by the Commissioner with the approval of the Secretary of Labor.
 - (2) Of the 11 appointed members of the Board:
- (i) 1 shall represent agriculture and be recommended by the Secretary of Agriculture;
- (ii) 1 shall represent businesses that the Public Service Commission regulates and shall be recommended by the Chairman of the Commission;
- (iii) 2 shall represent health professions and be recommended by the Secretary of Health;
 - (iv) 2 shall represent industry;
 - (v) 2 shall represent labor; and
 - (vi) 3 shall represent the public.
- (b) Each appointed member shall be chosen on the basis of competence and experience in the field of occupational safety and health.
- (c) (1) The term of an appointed member is 6 years and begins on July 1.
- (2) The terms of the appointed members are staggered as required by the terms provided for members of the Board on October 1, 1991.
- (3) At the end of a term, a member continues to serve until a successor is appointed.

- (4) A member who is appointed after a term has begun serves only for the rest of the term and until a successor is appointed.
 - (d) The Governor may remove a member for incompetence or misconduct.

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